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Docket No: 3928/1J861US1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: FINE, Richard E.; BERG, Eric A.

Serial No.: 10/001,898

Art Unit: 1647

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Examiner: C. NICHOLS

For: Method of Purification of Neuropeptide Containing Vesicles From the Brain

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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Hon. Commissioner of
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May 1, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 18, 2003,
please consider the following remarks. A petition for an extension of time is also
enclosed.

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